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UNDER 37 CFR 1.56 and 1.97(b)

Dear Sir:

The reference listed in the attached PTO Form 1449, a copy of which is attached, may be material to examination of the above-identified patent application. The submission herewith does not constitute an admission of the reference as the prior art or an exhaustive search in the art. The applicant submits the reference in compliance with his duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56 and 1.97. It is respectfully requested that the cited references be considered and that the enclosed copy of Information Disclosure Statement be initialed by the Examiner to indicate such consideration and a copy thereof returned to the applicant.

This Information Disclosure Statement is believed to be filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits. Accordingly, the applicant believes that there are no fees due in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure

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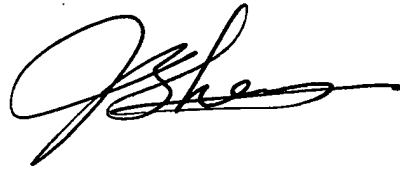
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Statement. However, if the PTO believes otherwise please charge our deposit account No. 50-0516 any fees that may be due. Please telephone the undersigned at (408)777-9887, if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted;

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